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Title: METHODS AND DEVICES FOR MASS
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ASSAYS

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

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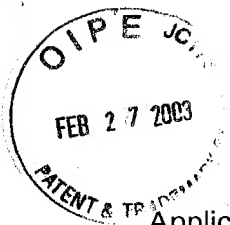
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- ☒ Petition for 1 (ONE) Month Extension of Time; and
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Respectfully submitted,

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Box Fee Amendment
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for a One-month extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely. The extension fee for response within the First month is \$110.00.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the above **\$110.00** fee and any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **50-0872** (Order No. 074022-3303). Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. **50-0872** (Order No. 074022-3303).

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